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San Marcos Industrial Development Corporation

Purpose
Consider and authorizes the issuance of bonds for the purpose of promoting and developing commercial, industrial and manufacturing enterprises.
Membership
Consists of seven members with no residency requirements.

Sunset Review Commission

Purpose
Serves as an advisory body to the City Council concerning whether a public need exists for continuation of all permanent City boards, commissions or committees.
Membership
Consists of seven residents of the City.

Transportation Advisory Board

Purpose
Provides advice on matters involving transportation projects for funding, capital improvement programs, and elements of the city master plan. Provides advice to Planning and Engineering departments on street dedication, design requirements and standards.
Membership
Consists of seven residents of the City.

Youth Commission

Purpose
Endeavors to involve the entire community in promoting fundamental resources or goals for the healthy development of all youth in the San Marcos community.
Membership
Consists of nine members. Three members representing a Youth Service

youth service agencies and three at-large positions.

Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals

Purpose
Considers variances and special exceptions to the standards established in the Zoning Ordinances.
Membership
Consists of five residents and two alternates who reside within the corporate City limits of the City of San Marcos.

Staff appointed Boards and Commissions

Cemetery Commission
Drainage Advisory Board
Senior Citizen Advisory Board

Boards/Commissions Meeting Schedule

Airport Commission.....	Monthly, 1st Tuesday
Animal Shelter Advisory Committee.....	As needed
Arts Commission.....	Quarterly, 2nd Wednesday
Beautification Commission	TBA
Cemetery Commission.....	Monthly, 4th Wednesday
Charter Review Commission (Appointed every 2 years for 6 month term)...	As needed
Civil Service Commission.....	As needed
Construction Board	As needed
Convention & Visitors Bureau Advisory Board.....	Monthly, 3rd Wednesday
Drainage Advisory Board.....	As needed
Economic Development Board	Monthly, 2nd Thursday
San Marcos/Hays County Emergency Medical Service Board.....	Monthly, 3rd Tuesday
Ethics Review Commission.....	As needed
Historic Preservation Commission.....	Monthly, 1st Thursday
Housing Authority.....	Monthly, 2nd Tuesday
Human Services Advisory Board.....	Monthly, 2nd Tuesday
Library Board.....	Monthly, 4th Monday
Main Street Advisory Board.....	Monthly, 3rd Wednesday
Minority Tourism Development Board	Monthly, 1st Monday
Parks and Recreation Board.....	Monthly, 3rd Tuesday
Planning & Zoning Commission.....	Bimonthly, 2nd &4th Tuesday
San Marcos Industrial Development Corporation.....	As needed
Senior Citizen Advisory Board.....	As needed
Sunset Review Commission (Appointed every fifth year)	As needed
Transportation Advisory Board.....	Monthly, 3rd Wednesday
Youth Commission.....	Monthly, 2nd Monday
Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals.....	Monthly, 2nd Tuesday



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VOLUNTEER FORM FOR
BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

- * Airport Commission
 - * Animal Shelter Advisory Committee
 - * Arts Commission
 - * Beautification Commission
 - * Cemetery Commission
 - * Charter Review Commission
 - * Civil Service Commission
 - * Construction Board of Appeals
 - * Convention & Visitors Bureau Advisory Board
 - * Drainage Advisory Board
 - * Economic Development Board
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Citizen Boards & Commissions

San Marcos City government offers a number of ways for its citizens to become actively involved in government business. In addition to the opportunity citizens have to express their thoughts at City Council meetings and public hearings, San Marcos citizens also may apply to serve on one of many boards and commissions.

Membership on these panels is open to all San Marcos citizens. Unless otherwise noted, the only requirement for service is that the applicant be a city resident. Members of these citizen panels serve without monetary compensation. The City Council appoints the members.

Airport Commission

Purpose
Provides advice and recommendations to the City Council in matters regarding operations and improvements at the San Marcos Airport.

Membership
Consists of nine members. Three members may be either residents or non-residents of the City. All other members must be residents of the City.

Animal Shelter Advisory Committee

Purpose
Provides advice regarding the animal shelter and animal welfare.

Membership
Consists of one licensed veterinarian, one city official, one person whose duties include the daily organization of shelter, one animal welfare organization, one City resident or ETJ, one person appointed by the City of Kyle and one person appointed by Hays County.

Arts Commission

Purpose
Provides oversight for the expenditure of city hotel occupancy tax funds for the promotion of the arts.

Membership
Consists of seven members. Five members must be City residents and two members may reside outside the City limits.

Beautification Commission

Purpose
Provides oversight for programs and activities related to maintaining and enhancing the visual quality of the City.

Membership

Consist of seven members; landscape design or architecture, horticulture management of the Texas State University-San Marcos grounds; membership in a garden club; membership in a master gardener organization; Hays County Extension Office staff member; owner of a business in the city; home builder and one citizen at large.

Charter Review Commission

Purpose
To inquire into the operations of the City government under the City Charter and recommend whether the Charter should be revised.

Membership
Consist of seven members who reside in the City.

Civil Service Commission

Purpose
The members of the Fire Fighters and Police Officers Civil Service Commission administer Civil Service law in accordance with the Local Government Code.

Membership
Consists of three citizens appointed by the City Manager and confirmed by the City Council.

Construction Board of Appeals

Purpose
This Board hears appeals and variances regarding building construction and related activities.

Membership
Consists of seven members. One master plumber, one master HVAC contractor, one master electrician,

one commercial builder, one residential builder, one building design professional (such as an architect, engineer or designer) and one at-large member.

Convention & Visitors Bureau Advisory Board

Purpose
Provides advice and oversees the contracts between the City and the San Marcos Area Chamber of Commerce for programs for the promotion of tourism within the City.

Membership
Consists of thirteen voting members. One City Council Member, one hotels/motels industry in the City , one owners/general manager/senior management of 90 or more rooms in the City , one owner/ general managers/senior management of tourist attractions located in the City, one owner/general managers/senior management of food/beverage establishment in the City, two managers/senior management of outlet malls, one downtown association/main street business owners/general managers/senior management, one Heritage association/museums located tin the City, one Board Chair of San Marcos Area Chamber of Commerce, one Texas State-Academic/Media/PR, one Texas State-Athletics and one City Parks and Recreation Department Staff.

Economic Development Board

Purpose
Helps promote orderly and responsible economic development for the San Marcos geographic area.

Membership

Consists of eleven voting members appointed by the City Council and one non-voting member. Mayor, one representative of Hays County, one San Marcos Area Chamber of Commerce President, two CEO or senior management staff of 100+ employees, two CEO or senior management staff of financial institution, two CEO or senior management staff of manufacturing firm, two citizens-at-large and one City Manager (non-voting).

San Marcos/Hays County Emergency Medical Services Board

Purpose
To oversee the operation of local EMS services.

Membership
The City Council appoints two of the five member board of directors.

Ethics Review Commission

Purpose
To oversee the application of the City of San Marcos Code of Ethics concerning conflicts of interest, ethical conduct and financial disclosures of City officials and employees.

Membership
Consists of seven members who reside in the City.

Historic Preservation Commission

Purpose
To recommend, promote and approve the appropriateness and integrity of the four existing Historical Districts designed by the City of San Marcos.

Membership
Consists of seven members; one member shall be a resident of the city or its extraterritorial jurisdiction, or shall be employed in the city or its extraterritorial jurisdiction, and shall be from the architect-

ture or design field of expertise; two members shall be citizens of the city who have demonstrated an interest in the history of the city; one member shall be a property owner or resident from the San Antonio Street historic district; one member shall be a property owner or business owner within the downtown historic district; one member shall be a property owner or business owner within the Belvin Street historic district and one member shall be a property owner or resident from the Dunbar historic district.

Housing Authority Board

Purpose
Provides better housing for low income families, eliminating substandard housing, and uplifting and encouraging self improvement of the community’s low income families.

Membership
Consists of five members. One member must be a public housing resident.

Human Services Advisory Board

Purpose
To develop and enhance human services in San Marcos. Makes recommendations to City Council for funding to human services agencies.

Membership
Consists of eight San Marcos citizens; with one non-voting member with a degree in social work or with experience in social service administration.

Library Board

Purpose
Provides advice to the City Council for continued development and improvement of the San Marcos Public Library.

Membership
Consists of seven members; with five residing in the City.

Main Street Advisory Board

Purpose
Advices and recommends to the City Council the goals and priorities for the Main Street Project.

Membership
Consists of fifteen members. Ten members must reside in the City, with the remaining three owning or operating a business in the City.

Minority Tourism Development Board

Purpose
Provides advice and oversight for contracts with the Hispanic Chamber for programs for the promotion of minority tourism within the City.

Membership
Consists of seven voting members appointed by the City Council and four non-voting ex-officio members.

Parks and Recreation Board

Purpose
Provides advice and recommendations to the City Council in matters regarding acquisition, development, improvement, equipment and maintenance of all City parks, playgrounds and facilities.

Membership
Consists of nine residents of San Marcos.

Planning and Zoning Commission

Purpose
To ensure planned and purposeful development of the City of San Marcos and its extraterritorial jurisdiction, to protect the integrity of our natural resources and neighborhoods, and to enforce State and local statutes and ordinances.

Membership
Consists of nine members; Consists of nine members; eight members must have resided and owned real property in the City for a period of three years before the date of appointment and the remaining